

Operation Medicine Drop is a partnership of Safe Kids North Carolina, NC State Bureau of Investigation, the River keepers of North Carolina, and local law enforcement agencies, working together to encourage the public to safely dispose of unused and unwanted medication. Operation Medicine Drop helps prevent accidental poisonings and drug abuse while protecting our waters. Since 2010, we have collected more than 63 million dosages during OMD events. North Carolina will hold its 6th annual Operation Medicine Drop March 15-21, 2015 to coincide with National Poison Prevention Week.

**Register your event.** Your email address is your user name. If you've forgotten your password, click on the forgot password button. You will get an email with directions. Registration will be available beginning February 1, 2015.

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If you register your event by March 10, 2015 and your event has been approved, Safe Kids North Carolina will mail supplies and incentive items for your events.

**DEA Authorization letter.** Download the [DEA Authorization Letter template](#) and follow the directions. Submit the completed form to both Safe Kids North Carolina and SBI.

**Collection boxes:** You may obtain collection boxes from the Safe Kids NC office between 9am-3pm Monday – Friday. Please visit the website for directions:

<http://www.ncdoi.com/OSFM/Contacts/Default.aspx>

**Ask for help!** It is strongly suggested that you invite a pharmacy technician to help. He/she is familiar with counting and identifying drugs. Ask your local Safe Kids coalition for assistance. **Visit [www.ncsafekids.org](http://www.ncsafekids.org) for a listing of local coalitions.**

**Use the electronic or hard copy log sheets** to record the drugs that come in. If you can have a laptop at the event, it will make totaling the amounts easier for you.

**Submit your take-back totals** online.

<https://apps.ncdoi.net/f?p=101:LOGIN:8447931771760::::>

**Destroy the drugs.** On Tuesday, March 24, 2015 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M. take your drugs to the nearest SBI field office to be destroyed at no cost to you. To find your nearest SBI office see link below:

[SBI District Map Locations](#)

**FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT OPERATION MEDICINE DROP ADMINISTRATION OR  
DOWNLOADABLE MATERIALS, CONTACT LISA BLACKMON AT 1-888-347-3737 OR,  
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